

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor(s):	Masahiro Hinami	Group Art Unit:	3714
Assignee:	Konami Corporation	Examiner:	Shah, Milap
Title:	GAME APPARATUS, GAME CONTROL METHOD, RECORDING MEDIUM AND PROGRAM		

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Action mailed July 14, 2008, having a shortened statutory period for response of three (3) months that expired on October 14, 2008, which is extended for a period of one (1) month that is set to expire on November 14, 2008 under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), please amend the application and consider the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.